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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.56, the references listed on the attached form PTO/SB/08 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. A copy of each cited reference is enclosed. However, Applicant has not submitted a copy of the published U.S. Patent Applications cited on attached Form PTO/SB/08 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(ii).

International Publication No. WO 03/07893, cited as F4 on the attached form PTO/SB/08, is written in a foreign language. In accordance with MPEP §609A(3), Applicants are submitting herewith a copy of the International Search Report from corresponding International Application No. PCT/FR2005/000108 which was filed on January 18, 2005. Applicants have also included U.S. Published Patent Application No. 2005/054577, cited as U2 on attached form PTO/SB/08, which is cited on the International Search Report as a patent family member and is believed to be an English language equivalent of International Publication No. WO 03/07893. Applicants note that although the specification of International Publication No. WO 03/07893 is written in a foreign language, an English language Abstract is provided therewith. Applicants respectfully request that these references be made of record and considered in the examination of the subject application.

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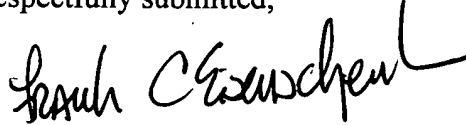
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Applicant respectfully asserts that the substantive provisions of 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98 are met by the foregoing statement.

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